RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE UNIVERSITY POLICY

Policy Statement

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Reason for Policy/Purpose

This policy is required for the effective communication of university policy regarding the university’s liabilities for damages or injuries.

Who Needs to Know This Policy

All students of The University of Southern Mississippi community living on campus.

Website Address for this Policy

www.usm.edu/institutional-policies/policy-stua-res-010

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property loss insurance. The University agrees to exercise reasonable caution with good faith effort to safeguard the health, safety and property of each resident.

**Review**

The Director of Student Housing Administration is responsible for the review of this policy every four years (or whenever circumstances require immediate review).

**Forms/Instructions**

N/A

**Appendices**

N/A

**Related Information**

N/A

**History**

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*Amendments*: Month, Day, Year – summary of changes
Authorization

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As the Responsible Officer, I have reviewed this policy and believe it represents the current policy.

Edward East, Director

March 22, 2013

Responsible Officer

Date